CURRENT TOPICS.

BROOKLY'S has an anti-dy: poptic cooking

THE Georgia cornfields are rippling the

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THIRTEEN Boston Churches are without

pulpits EDISON, the inventor, is for the first tim a father

THE Sanh of Persia wants to borrow A SEACULL was shot recently in Tion County, Pa. -

THE Income of Oxford University for 1867 Was \$236,000. Tur Orange Boit railroad is just finished

Ir will take four years longer to finis the Panama Canal.

Clay in appearance. DRAMATIC Writing is to be

THE American ambulance system has

Tuz Queen of Denmark is very deaf, bu ately fond of music. Snor soles of wire not, outlasting er, are a new idea in Germany.

O'Donovan Rossa has laid aside dyna mite and is now writing poetry.
CENERAL SHERIDAN fought seventy-fly

battles and was never defeated. GRAVE & GAY have reade a failure in th

retail grocery business in Chicago.
It is said that Kentucky is the only Stat
which has no State Bar Association. Turns are said to be several churches Dinois without a single male member.

The harp, which is the oldest music

instrument, is becoming the latest fad. A MAN in St. Louis was fined \$5 for trying to kiss a young lady the other day. Ax Australian writer says that any kind i trans band is welcomed in that colon TALMAGE says the reutine prayers of a elergyman in church shouldn't be at

A GEORGIA paper advertises for thirty or forty good billy-goats to butt the com

In a hall storm in India recently of hundred and fifty persons were killed by

Tun official report on Russia for 158 shows that the population of the empire is 100.000,000.

A farm devoted to equine subjects, pub tished in Buston, is conducted by a man named Trotter.

Tun bloom stalk of a century plant at a Florida exposition grows at the rate of six inches a day.

Nota Twice, a servant girl of Pertland Ore, has fallon heiress to a fortune of \$300,000 in England.

"Laxura" is a new language which threatens to drive out Volupuk. It is

PRILABELPHIA will have twenty-seve theaters when the two now in process o Ex-Queen Isannian, of Spain, has grown

so Beshy of late years that she is now the largest woman in that country. Mittious of caterpillars are eating the blossems of fruit trees and shrubs in Vic toria, B. C., and neighborhood.

e have served at the age of sixteen years a dremmer boy at Waterloo, A PEASANT has just died in Austria-link gary who was 142 years of ago. He left s

son aged He years and a grandson eighty Tue log tam in the Menomiage river Michigan, still exists. It is intimated

that the jam centains 400,000,000 feet of pay \$2200 of bonds issued a number of years ago by a ring of rascally county

there is an old negro in Jonesboro who has been married nine times and has had 117

Tun Prohibitionists are the first since the war to go Nouth of Mason an

Dixen's time for a candidate for Vice Cant Servas has planned to spend th summer in Germany at the Villa Forsteck

with his two daughters, where he intend RUSSELL Same is the director of three banks, and it is very soldern that he ever misses a meeting. For each meeting that he attends he receives \$10.

Tue E fiel Tower, despite the numeros stories to the contrary, is steadily risin, iron, and to weigh some 15,000,000 pounds An Alaska Indian sentenced to prise for ninety-nine years for murder, wants t know if the tinvernment is going to keep

The highest-priced piano in America Louis. The case, which was built in Louis was designed and painted by Aim

Tadema. It cost \$45,000. THE Chicago Times says that his swee heart's shull serves as a paper weight for a dector in that city. It was her dying request that he (then a student) be given the skull as a remambrance of her.

CHINESE pheasants are so thick in the Waldo Hills, Colorado, that they have to be shooed out of the furrows by the plow men, so greedy are they in gobbling u

GLASON will soon be the second cit. of the United Kingdom. Its boundaries are to be extended so as to include a num ber of populous towns; and it is estimate wil then have a population of nearly 800,000.

"Securita" is the name given to a new explosive which is said to be flameless when exploded, and will, it is expected, be of especial value as a substitute for ordin ary blasting powder and other explosive

in fiery coal mines A TENNESSEE mule reached into a barre after oats and got his head fast, Hi tweer was mad about it and made him wear the barrel three days, when he him self was barroled up on a warrant for

A PHILADELPHIAN has collected ove one million canceled postage stamps, each of which was carefully taken from a castaway cavelope. All this was done

Propagate the younges trink president in the world is J. M. Baney, Jr., who, at the age of twenty-three, has been placed at the head of the Minnehaha National

Ir has just been discovered in Austria that one of the four State executioners is a woman. She is large and muscular, has a heavy voice, and has adjusted the nooses

for twenty-six victims. possesses some handsome diaments. She puts them in a lox, puts the box in a rag and at night puts the watch deg in the "Ye-es," assented the Colonel, a closest on top of the rag bag, locks him in half-hearted tops of voice. there, and every night hides the key in a fine, but down our way. Miss Breety, different place. Her husband says that if she had her way she would arm him to the teeth and put him in the closet with the

To THE question, "Which is the most delicious fruit?" put by a New York paper there were thirteen advocates of the pine apple, twenty-we of the strawberry, thirty of the orange and one bundred and two ty f the pranut.

GAGGED AND ROASTED.

Torturing an Old Gentleman for His Money.

Pirranunon, Pa., June 11 .- An atrociou outrage is reported at Fair Chance, about two miles from Uniontown. Samuel Hur bert, an old resident of Pair Chance, wa assaulted by masked men at his residence at midnight Saturday, and subjected to great tortures to make him disclose where his money was accreted. At that hour his money was secreted. At that hour Humbert, who lives alone, was are used by a knock at his door. In respuns to his inquiries as to who was there he men outside asked for a drink of was.

When the man opened the door to comply with their request he was opid and gagged. Two rufflana then according to the form of the country was related to the form of the country was determined to come back and avenge the brutal erises. As the galet little city was brutal erises. As the galet little city was brutal erises, but failed to find any thing of value, whereupon they commanded their captive to surrender his money and value, best He insisted that be had no money. The two fiends then built a fire in the doors and before the jailer was fully

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him. They threatened to set the house on fire if he did not confess. After turning every thing in the house upain down, and ripping up the carpst in the search for moses, they bound the old man hand and foot and departed Humbert, after a desperate struggle, fro himself and gave the alarm. His neigh bors quickly gathered and organises search party to hunt the rascals down The fugitives were traced a consideral distance, and have, it is said, been located The community is greatly excited over tourage, and if the perpetrators are fee he chances are that they will be treat to a dose of Western justice.

Dynamite on a Lake Steamer.

DETROIT, MICH., June 11 .- A barrel ish in which was a dynamite bomb, was part of the cargo in the hold of the stea City of Cleveland on her trip from Circliand last Wednesday. The barrel was in of a number of others consigned by John Kingsborough, a wholesale fish dealer a leveland, to Ryan & Bourke, of this a The bomb was discovered when the ba was opened the following day, and wa thrown into the river. From the appearance of the barrel it had been spened an the bomb placed in it after the barre had left the war house in Cleveland.

Eight-Hour Law for Letter-Carriers

WASHINGTON, June 11. - The Postmister tional estimate of appropriation for the free delivery survice, for the next is call year, of \$1,021 20. This additional am ust, the Postmaster-General says, is necessary to enery out the provisions of the actex tending the eight-hour law to lettercar riers. It is estimated that it will be wesper cent, -to bring the hours of lettecar

To Encourage Silk Cutture.

WASHINGTON, June 11 - Senator Chandle has introduced, by request, a bil appro-priating \$150,000 for the development and encouragement of sik culture in the United States. It creates a division of ailk culture in the Department of Agricu ture, and authorizes the establishment of experimental silk culture stations throughout the country. It provides for the free distribution to the farmers and others of mulberry seed and silk-worm eggs.

Twenty-Three Days' Fast

Racing, Wis., June 11 .- John Zachar, it son of a wealthy Bohemian farmer living n Mount Peasant Township, five mile sorth, has not tasted food for twenty-thre days. During the greater portion of that time has done arduous farm work, but has now grown so weak that any thing more labibious than light chores exhausts him He talks rationally and gives no other res son for his abstinence than that he is no hungry.

Marmons Buying Land in Mexico.

Lt. Paso, Texas, June 11.—Solos Hum-phreys, of New York, for himself and his secciates, have about closed here an in ertant deal for the sale of 400,000 seres and in the State of Chibushua, Mexico to Andrew J. Steward and time. M. Brown of Sait Lake. City, agents of the Mormor Church of Latter Day Saints, for coloni

Tammany McGinty All Right. NEW YORK, June 11 .- Dennis McGinty he Tammany delegate, who was thought

to have been lost en route home free outs, arrived to night. He says her ayed at St. Louis with some friends, and did no start with the delegation on the specia

Prince Roland in Washington WASHINGTON, June 11.-Prince Re-Napoleon Bonaparte called at the White House to-day, and paid his respects to the President. He subsequently had an inter view with Becretary Fairchild, at the Treasury Departme

Thrown From His Buggy and Killed. DANVILLE, ILL., June 11 .- Alexand Fleming, a prominent and wealthy farme was thrown from his buggy at Sidell, i this county, this evening, and instantl killed. His wife, who was in the bugg; with him, was also dangerously hurt.

Justice McEnery

BATON ROUGE, LA., June 11 .- The Senat o-lay confirmed the nomination of ex Governor McEnery to be Associate-Just of the Supreme Court for the term twelve years, in place of Robert B. To whose term has just expired.

-Two watch-makers were disputis as to which of them had the most him toned customers. "Not long ago Czar of Russia sent me his watch have it repaired." "Czar of Russia replied the other contemptuously, had a customer the other day to who even the Czar must bow." he?" "Old Father Time himself. came to me and asked me as a speci favor to repair his hour-glass for his

Texas Siftings. -As the last note of "Const Through the Kye" trembled on the air she turned to her escort and said: it not exquisite, Colonel Blowe go in more for Bourbon, you know."-N. Y. Sun.

-A genius has invented a dock which he warrants to run a hadred years. A man bought one of the the other day, on condition that if it da't run over ninety-eight years, he sight return it and get his money bak.-

HANGED BY A MOB.

Forty Armed Men Take Lecherous James Foster From Jail and Make Short Work of Him. EVANSVILLE, IND., June 11 .-- At Hender

son, Ky., twelve miles below here, at one o'clock this morning. James Fester, colored, was taken from jeil and hanged. Foster was arrested Thursday morning at the instance of John Howard, charged with outraging the latter's little eight-year-old daughter, a few miles from Henderson, in the country. Foster, on being arrested, strenuously denied his guilt, but most con-clusive evidence of his guilt was found on his clothing, which was stained with blood. The greatest indignation was created throughout the neighborhood.

rode into the city. Pulling up at the jail, they made a dash for the barred doors and before the jailor was fully grate, and drawing the old man up to it, alarmed they were inside. Breaking roasted his feet until they were bli-tered and shockingly burned. Still the old man protested that he had no street, and putting him into a vehi-money, and he implored them to release the started with him for the scene of him crime before the town was aware of the intrusion. All along the road the pris-oner beiged and beseeched his captors to spare his life, and told all manner of atories to prove his innocence. But Kentuckians have learned to turn deaf ears o the pleas of those who so cruelly wreck

> where the outrage was committed they selected a strong oak, threw the fatal rope over a limb and strung the wretch up. Then they quistly dispersed. Widows' Pensions.

and stain the fair name of their State, and

when the party had arrived at the woods

Washington, June 10.—The President has approved the act of Congress provid-ing that pensions heretofore or hereafter granted to widows of soldiers of the was of the rebellion shall commence at the date of the death of their busbands. This legislation favorably affec's all claims of widows of the late war which have been filed in the Pension Office on or after July i, 1880, and which have been allowed to the claims; but will not favorably affect the cases of such widows as were filed before July 1, 1880, and which have been allowed, pensions having already been grauted in these cases from the date of their busbands' death. The Commission of Peasions gives notice that in the settlement under this law of claims already alowed no formal application will be required, and that the services of attorneys will not be necessary. Widows entitled, under said law, need only write a letter giving name, post-office address and cer tificate number, and the claims will be al-

lowed with as little delay as practica-Killed in a Tempest

Fr. YATES, DAR., June 10 -Several perterday by lightning and flying debris A farmer living two miles south wa found dead in his field half a m from the point at which his house was ocated. The building had been con pletely wrecked, and it is supposed the man had been carried to the point where found, by the wind. Mattie Dambrowsk a girl of thirteen, living at a settlemen the storm struck that point, and it is be lieved she was blown into the river and drowned. The loss among the Indians is especially severe, as hundreds of them had every thing they had swept away by

Bee Will Hang For His Treachery.

Eastway, Ga., June 19 - Last Christma Eve, in Appling County, Horace Bee and Lucius Grant had a dispute, and each arm were provented by friends, until finally it was agreed to fight a fair fight, when Be gave up the pistol he had in his hand and Grant threw down his gun; and imme diately and without warning Bee drew second piatol from his pocket and fired three times and killed him. Bee was tried yester day and found guilty of murder in the first degree, and Judge Atkinson bas son senced him to be hanged in July.

Myriads of Grasshoppers. St. Patt., Mixx., June 10.—The rumors of grasshoppers in Otter Tail County have

men confirmed by investigations just completed. There are millions of the pests hatching out in the neighborhood of Perham, and many of them are big enough to jump. A number of large township are literally alive with hoppers. The are the genuine Rocky Mountain variety that did such damage a number of years

Sr. Louis, June 10.—Dennis McGinnty, a leading member of Tammany Hall, dis appeared soon after the members of the organization arrived in this city for the of. On returning home and not finding slarmed and notified the St. Louis police A thorough search was instituted, race of the missing man has been found.

Drowned Herself with Her Babe. Miss Sun Wixaon, residing in Muhicuburg Township, a short distance from Reading.

teft home in a mysterious manner. She took with her her three-months' old babe To-day the bodies of both were found drowned in the Schuylkill river. The child was tied to the body of its mother with a

Penilentiary for Life. MINNEAPOLIS, MINN., June 10.-Alber Kennest was yerterday, at Lacrosse, Wis

sentenced to the penitentiary for life for the murder of Anna Dannels. Horrible Tragedy in Iowa.

been received here of a terrible tragedy which occurred in Hazelgreen Township seventeen miles from Monticelli, last Mon-day. An old man named Rothbacker, who was working in a stone quarry, undertook to whip his boy, a lad of twelve, but was prevented by a fellow-workman. In the evening the old man again tried to whip the boy. When he attempted to run the father gave chase, and having captured him knocked him down and cut his head off with an exe. Up to last night the old man was still at large. An attempt will be made to lyach him when captured.

Verdict in a Will Case.

BALTIMORE, June 10.-After being ou forty-eight hours the jury rendered a ver-dict to-day in favor of the defendant in the now famous Crise will care. Mr. Crise bett an estate worth half a million, and left the bulk of it to his second wife. children of the first wife tried to break the

Fatally Shot With His Own Gun. CLARKSBURG, W. VA., June 13.-Luke Martin, fourteen years of age, eldest son of B. Martin, of Shinn's Mills, while putting his gun away in a rack yesterday, was fatally shot by the accidental falling and | growth."- Washington Critic

FIFTIETH CONGRESS.

WASHINGTON, June 5 .- SENATE .- After P. tine business the Senate proceeded to consi-eration of the diplomatic and consular appr ported by the Committee on Appropriations an agreed to. An amendment to increase the sal ary of the Minister Resident and Consul Gen ersi to Paraguey and Uruguay from \$5,000 t. \$7.500 was debated at much length. Finally the ameadment was excluded on a point of o der, and Mr. Call appealed from that decision House.-After routine business the H went into committee of the whole on tariff bil debate on the pending clause ("wood manufac

lery waited a large red handlorchief. Instantly there was an outburst of appliause on the Best ceratic side, white the chairman pounded the deah. After debate the motion to atries on was rejected by a party vote. "Staves of the custom Mr. Buchanan (N. J.) offered an amend ment, adding the words "in the rough, straight

WASHINGTON, June 6 - SENATE - The prest

rom the President, returning, without his a pension was allowed) had nothing to do w military service, but was the result of suice erence report on the bill for a public build at Bay City, Mich., was agreed to, and the propriat on left at \$20,000. The Senate ti seded to the business on the calencer, suming consideration of the House bill to p went the employment of alien labor upon put by Mr. Teiler, adding a c'ause requiring pul-works to be constitucted wholly of materi made and prepared within the United Stat-bids and contracts to be confined to citizens the United States. The bill authorizing i

purchase of a site for the accommodation of U. S. Surv. one Court passed. House.-The Senate amendment to the b House then went into committee of the wh WASHINGTON, June 7.-SENATE.-The field

a public building bills for Bridgeport, Ct., at Bay City, Mich. A Senate bill was reporte for a public building at Sterling III. The tari was taken up and considered in c of the whole until 5 p. m., when the House

WASHINGTON, JUNE 8.—SENATE.—Not in ses

ills were passed. A retaliatory resolution o ess until 8 p. m., the night session being to WASSINGTON, June 9. - SENATE-Not in se

the creation of public buildings at Jacksot Mich., and Ottumwa, Ia. The tariff debut clause placing flax straw on the free list w. for the sum of \$110,600.

of iills were reported and placed on the caler dar. A resolution was agreed to, instructin the Judiciary Committee to inquire and repor whether lead ore is exerned from duty when entains gold or silver. Mr. Stewart introduce teachting which went over, railing for th ames of those offering bonds for sale to th inversal. The credentials of Senator Cition (Louisiana) were presented. The fisheri aty was then considered in open executivesion. After a speech by Gray further con ideration was postponed until June 25, and in p. m. the Senate adjourned.

House,—Bills were introduced under the

call of States. Grosvenor (Obio) offered lution assigning July 5, 7, 9, 10 11, and 12 fo decration of the resolution appropriation for an loc celebration of the twenty-fifth anniver-ary of the builde of Gettysburg, but Mr. Breek ade (Ark.) objected, and at 5 p. m. th

The Russian tax on petroleum, hitherto ended to patroleum from all countries the importation of American having a

New Onleans is ban'trupt. THE Atias Paper Mill was destroyed by ire at Appleton, Wis. Fork steamships landed 2.721 immi grants at Castle Garden on the 8.h. The strike of the brewery employes a Chie go has been declared off. McGanton, the Chicago beodler, rusticating at Bauff Hot Springs N. W T., spending money freely.

Is his will Fred Massden, the playwrigh isinherited his daughter. GENERAL MASTER WORKMAN POWDERL was indersed for re-election by the N tional Convention of Kn ghts of Lab Isan-workers. A BYNAMITE boom, wrapped in a copy

the Arbeiter Zeitung, found planted und the walls of the Chicago Historical Societ Tools were found in the celi of Pete M Cartney, counterfeiter, at New Orlean with which he and Ferdinand Albert, bu

J. J. McBarne, postmaster at Livingster Mont., left suddenly, a defaulter to the Government several hundred dollars, i sides owing private parties a large around

-When Daniel Webster was in Lon don he dined with Lord Broughan who produced a very small bottle Tokay, and dispensed it in very small glasses. His lordship, to prove how precious every drop was, said it was o the most exquisite growth, and very old. Webster, taking up the dimine tive glass, and examining it, said: "It is very little of its age."

-"What I object to in Maine," re marked a Pennsylvania man, "is the horrible names you have up here There's Androscoggin, for instance, Yes," replied the Maine man, "that name is almost as bad as some you have in Pennsylvania-Punxsutawney. Youghiogheny, Mauch Chunk, and the like."-Port'and Advertiser. -Mrs. Socrates (laying down he

book)-"I have just been reading work on entomology, my darling, an I discover that the female of some in sects is ten thousand times larger than the male." Mr. Socrates (meekly)-"Man is but an insect of larger THE COMMONWEALTH.

Buckwan Histors was unloading his goe in the hall of his house, at Owensboro, when the charge was accidentally ex-plosied. The load passed through the panel of a door and lodged in his daugh-ter's neck, inflicting a probably tatal wound.

Tax fouring millers of Central Kentucky neld a meeting at Lexington.
The Kentucky militia will visit Fo

Monros.

Gro. Harman, a prominent citizen and stock breeder of Hillsboro, was kicked to death by his large Norman horse. Mr. Harman had gone into the stable for the purpose of bridling his horse, and while he was straightening out his bridle the animal gave a sudden and powerful kick with both foet, atriking Harman on the body, producing almost instant death. The light was noted for victoussess.

Als: Chitrippis, brother of ax breeze Criticaden, of Missouri, sind half brother of Logan C. Murray, of New York died at Frankfort, a few days ago. He iad laryzgitis and the operation of

He lad laryagitis and the operation of laryagatomy was performed on him. He was about sixty years old, was the first marshal of the Louisville chancery court and had been twenty-five years in the auditor's office at Frankfort.

EDMUND ROBINSON, an aged farmer of Newton, Ark., went crazy on the train be tween Louisville and Paducah the other moraing, and createl a re.gn of terror among the passengers. He was traveling with his wife from his home to a visit to his brother at Berea, this State. He had just recovered from brain fever, and the rip was to afford a change. While sitting y his wife, an bour after the train loft Paducah, he suddenly began to yell, and when his wife tried to quiet him he selsed for, and was about to throw her from the pen window of the flying car. Passen cers isterfered, and he turned upon them and was only secured after a sharp strug gie. He was chained to a seat, and when he arrived at Louisvile, was feaming at the nonth and tugging at his shackles. His prother was notified by his wife, who is costrated by the shock.

Tan President has approved the act au origing the Secretary of War to place oil of Company B, Tenth Kentucky Vol

lay at Beams, Nelson County; Enon, Caldwell County; Palatka, Jefferson County; Sturgeon, Owsley County; Toneyville, La ne County; Postmasters: Wm. M. Brown Vm. P. Herrey, George W. Ewing, John Brewer, R. A. Hubbard, respectively the following postmasters were appoint d: Benjamin D. Bock, Jeremiah, Letcher County, vice Jeremiah P. Dixon, resigned Saille W. Whitman, Woodsenville, Hart County, vice Thomas M. Williams, de-

C. P. PALMER, a brakeman, whose home was at Bowling Green, lost his life in atmpt ng to couple cars at Franklin. A STATE Republican League was organ ed at Lexington the other night.

R E Water will preside over the

ec appointed to a position in the Pension Office at a salary of \$1,400 per annum. Denestra Bnoa., of Louisville, have been warded the contract for the erection of a Federal building at Oshkosh, Wis., for the sum of \$71,455. Seead & Co., of Louisville have been awarded the contract for iron wers of the public building at Louisvill

Turne is much excitement in Pike Courty, over the unearthing of a human vert of Cincinnati, eloped and were mar-ried at Lexington. Tut social sensation in Louisville a

present, is the elopement and marriage of Miss Lacy Richardson, the daughter of promoent Louisville manufacturer, and John Murphy, youngest son of Francis Murray, the temperance lecturer. Tra late Ex-Governor Johnson left ar estate valued at about \$60,000, which, un day the will, is to be divided equally be tween his three children.

In the common pleas court, at Paris ine Nix was granted a divorce from ecosi term in the pentientiary. In an effray near Wallonia, betwee three brothers named Hamilton on one side and Wm. Oliver on the other, Oliver struct one of the Hamiltons with a club

fain's bjuring him. Too Stoor, of Martinsville, who put a ond of shot into his body white hunting reis recently, is dead, El Governor WM. Jonsson, of Kendied at his home at Bardstown, vs ago, aged seventy-three.

J. W Hally, lumber merchant, o oro, has made an assignment. The Nicholasville, Richmond, Beatty and Three Forks ratirond, which tan the Cincinnati Southern at Nich lasville, is now an assured cer-

A Covernment monument was unveiled at Ceargetown. Go: CLARK, a farmer, was crushed to desta in a gravel pit near Owensboro. JAMES DENNETT, who was deaf, was run

IN a row between the Foley and Reynolds amilles, near Camp Ne son, Wm. Reynolds lot Ed Foley twice. His wounds may rove fatal. Tun official result of the election on the

quor question in Robertson County gives to Prohibitionists eleven majority. There A NEGRO named Henry Edwards shot ad instantly killed Douglass Crutchfield, ise colored, at Fredericksburg, Va. COMMENCEMENT day exercises were sid at the Annapol's Naval Academy on

a the question of prohibition and it caried by less than two hundred majority. be vote polled was large, and the contes as exciting and bitter. When the same sestion was voted on two years ago the ajority for prohibition was small. THE residence of James Hiatt, a farme ving near Minerva, was burglarized a

THE people of Muhlenberg County vote

w nights since, the thieves carrying o MRS. ANN DECKER Was found dead in the ad near Mt. Vernon. She had been shot rough the head, and the murder is a sterious one. Two MEN, named Alexander and Perkins

ere seriously injured in a shooting affray hopkinsville. As injunction has been filed in the cironurt of Bourbon County by share ders in the Kentucky Wesleyan Co ge at Millersburg against the board of ucation of the Kentucky Annual Con reuce of the M. E. Church South, to re rain them from selling the college build-

A PRIMIRY election to select a Data

atic nominee for Congress in the second ontucky District has been ordered for SEX Wood was found dead in an outLONG LIFE.

Practical Religion the Great Friend of Longevity.

It Fortifies Human Nature Against Unides
Dissipations, and Lifts From the Mind
Many of Its Greatest Troubles
—Sermon by Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage, D.D.

the temple of the Holy Ghost, and to deface its altars or mar its walls or crumble its pillars is a God-defying sacri He sees God's calligraphy in every page

with pneumonia and rheumatism he would

must be brought to judgment. Smoking your nervous system into fidgets, burning out the coating of your stom-ach with wine logwooded and strychnined walking with thin shoes to make your fee look delicate, pinched at the waist until you are nigh cut in two, and neither part worth any thing; groaning about sick headache and palpitation of the heart, which you think came from God, when they came from your own folly. What right has any man or woman to de-face the temple of the Holy Ghost! What is the ear! Why, it is the whispering gal-

Rev. Dr. Talmage preached in the Brook-lyn Tabernacie iast Sunday. He an-nounced as the subject of his sormon: "Does Religion Prolong Life!" and preached from the text found in Fasion aci., v, 18: "With long life will I satisfy

years old, may not the men and women reach to three hundred and four bundred and five hundred! The fact is that we are mere dwarfs and skeletons compared with some of the generations that are to come. Take the African race. They have been under bondage for centuries. Give them chance and they develop a Frederick Douglass or a Toussaint L'Ouverture. And if the white race shall be brought Amsons, Clinton County, has now a be the body! what shall be the soul! Religion has only just touched our world.

> who can tell what will be the strength of man and the beauty of woman and the longevity of all?
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> My design is to show that practical religion is the friend of long life. I prove care of our health a positive Christian duty. Whether we shall keep early or late hours, whether we shall take food digestible, whether there shall be thorough or incomplete mastication, are questions very often deferred to the realms of whimsi cality; but the Christian man lifts this whole problem of health into the accountable and the divine. He says: "God has given me this body, and He has called

> -anatomical and physiological. He says: oble purposes." That arm with thirty-two curious bone wielded by forty-six curious muscles, and

ill under the brain's telegraphy; 330 pounds of blood rushing through the heart every lour, the heart in twenty-four hours beat ng 100,000 times, during the twenty-four ours overcoming resistances amounting same time the lungs taking in fifty-seven hogsheads of air, and all this mechanism not more mighty than delicate and easily disturbed and demolished. The Christian man says to himself: "If I hurt my serves, if I burt my brain, if I burt any of my physical faculties, I insult God and call for dire retribution." Why del God tell the Levites not to offer to Him in sac-He meant to tell us in all the ages that we are to offer to God our very best physical lar or gluttonous eating ruins his health is not offering to God such a sacrifice. Why did Paul write for his cloak at Treas! Why did such a great man as Paul be anxious about a thing so insignificant as an overcoat! It was because he knew that

not be worth half as much to God and the church as with respiration easy and foot vacation in this? An intelligent Christian man would con sider it an absurdity to kneel down at while at the same time he kept the windows of his bed-room tight shut against fresh air. He would just as soon th'e't of going out on the bridge between New York | go to the manufacturer and I say: "O and Brooklye, leaping off, and then pray-Just as long as you defer this who'e sub-ject of physicial bealth to the realm of whimsicality, or to the pastry cook, or to the butcher, or to the baker, or to the apothecary, or to the clothier, you are of acting like a Christian. Take care of all your physical forces-nervous, muscular, bone, brain, cellular tissue-for all you

ery of the human soul. What is the eye It is the observatory God constructed, its elescope sweeping the heavens. What is the hand! An instrument so wonderful that when the Earl of Bridgewater be queathed in his will \$40,000 for treatises to be written on the wisdom, power and goodness of God, Sir Charles Bell, the eat English anatomist and surgeon, struction of the human hand, devoting his brains out—if, instead of taking out of his brains out—if, instead of taking out of his pocket a pistol, he had taken out a well-read New Testament there would have been one few who spends meat energy in serving himself will be most likely to tire of the service—as well as in the service—who spends most energy in serving himself will be most energy in serving himself will be most likely to tire of the service—as well as in the service—who spends most energy in serving himself will be most likely to tire of the service—as well as in the service. He who spends most energy in serving himself will be most likely to tire of the service—as well as in the service. He who spends most energy in serving himself will be most likely to tire of the service—and fewer in the service—as well as in the service when the service will be the service and fewer in the service will be most likely to tire of the service—and service will be most likely to tire of the service—and service will be most likely to tire of the service—and service will be most likely to tire of the service. He was also the service will be most likely to tire of the service will be most likely to tire of the service omnipotence—it is God's arm. The uphol-stery of the midnight heavens—it is the power. It is not chloral that you want, or work of God's flugers. His life-giving morphine that you want; it is the Gospel power it is the breath of the Almighty, of Jesus Ch His dominion "the government shall be satisfy him."

are people who fret themselves to death teh. Oh! be careful and for fear of dying.

I want to take the strain off your nerves

bappy one until ye came to the golden pillar of a Christan life. You went to the right; he went the left. That is all along the line of the orange I saw the the difference between you. Oh! if this words: "The day-spring from on high bath

religion is a protet against all forms of dissipation, then its an illustrious friend of longevity. "Withiong life will I satisfy Again: religion is friend of longevity in the fact that it akes the worry out of our temporalities. It is not work that kills men; it is wery. When a man becomes a gounine Cristian he makes over upward, "and behold, there was a rainbow to God not only a affections, but his family, his busines, his reputation, his body, his mind, his su'-cyary the family, his busines, his reputation, his body, his mind, his su'—every thing. Industrious be will be but never worrying, because God is manging his affairs. How can be worry about business when in answer to his prayers field tells him when to warmth, that is healthy. Ask all the doc-

you to call on me is every exigency; I am Tell me, and you shall have it. Orchards 600,000; I can formed a panic ten years; I hold the e ntrolling stock in thirty of the book monetary insitutions of New 1985, best monetary insitutions of New 1985, best monetary insitutions of New 1985, and I will help you can have my influence; Dr you want music! There is the craterio of the Creation, led on by Adam, and of the Creation, led on by Adam, and the Sea, led on by Monetan led much would you worry about business? Why, you would say: "I'll do the best I can, and then I'll depend on my friend's

Now more than that is promised to every Christian business man. God says to him : "I own New York and London and St. Petersburg and Pekin, and Australia and Californ's are mine; I can foresce a panie a million years; I have all the resources of the universe, and I am your fast friend; when you get in business trouble or any other trouble, call on me and I will help; here is my band in pledge of omnipotent deliverance." How much should that man worry? Not much. What lion will dare his paw on that Daniel! Is there into Heaven.

"Oh!" you say, 'here is a man who asked God for a blessing in a certa'n enterprise, and he lost \$5,000 in it. Explain that," I yender is a factory, and one wheel a going north and the other wheel is going south, and one wheel plays laterally and the other plays vertically. I manufacturer, your machinery is a contra-diction. Why do you not make all the wheels go one way?" "Well," he says, "I made them ! other fl t a heautiful result; and while

should that san worry about his reputa-tion! Not such. If that banker who some years ago in Wall street, after he had lost all he money, sat down and wrote a farewell letter to his wife before he blow

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corroding cares about a future existence.
Every man wants to know what is to become of him. If you get on board a rail train you want to know at what depot it is going to stop; if you get on board a ship you want to know into what harbor it is going to run, and if you should tell meyou want to know into what harbor it is going to run, and if you should tell meyou want to know into what harbor it is going to run, and if you should tell meyou have no interest in what is to be your future deating. I would in as rolite a way as correding cares about a future exist to think of it, and, often with the same bour every in a place where it will be for I had this matter settled with refused anxiety. I would in as polite a way at a land watch will last the long-are answers. Now, the anxieties men have upon this subject put learning to the property of the land od's watch, you see the together would make a martyrdom. This is a state of awful unbealthiness. There are people who fret themselves to death

"Does Raligion Frolong Life!" and preached from the text found in Fasilia science, v. 15: "With long life will I satisfy him."

Through the mistake of its friends religion has been chiefly associated with sink-bade and carbolic acid. There are people who can not pronounce the word religion without hearing in it the clipring without hearing in it the clipring chisel of the tembstone cutter. It is high time that this thing were changed, and that religion, instead of being represented as a chariot in which the living are to triumph.

Religion as a chariot in which the living are to triumph.

Religion as far from subtracting from see's vitality, is a glorious addition. It is seeastive, currative, hygienic. It is good for the eyes, good for the ears, good for the beyes, good for the markens. When he was that religion may be dominant, he does not speak of it as a mild sickness, or an emaclation, or an attack of moral and spiritual cramp; he speaks of it as a mild sickness, or an emaclation, or an attack of moral and spiritual cramp; he speaks of it was a mild sickness, or an emaclation, or an attack of moral and spiritual cramp; he speaks of it as a mild sickness, or an emaclation, or lattice the process and least of the carry proposed of the carry while God, in the text, promises longevity to the pieces, saying: "With long life will I satisfy him."

The fact is that men and women die too soon. It is high time that religion is a protest against all dissipations which ought to have leave to the says forever; my coason. The fact is that men and women die too soon. It is high time that religion joined the carry of the marken the carry of the sail of the carry of the marken the carry of the marken the carry of the marken the carry of the ca

lext, promises longevity to the pions, saying:

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The fact is that men and women die too soon. It is high time that religion joined the hand of medical science in attempting to improve human longevity. Adam lived nine hundred and thirty years. Methuselah lived nine hundred and sixty-nine years. As late in the history of the world no Vaspasian, there were at one time in his empire forty-five people one hundred and thirty five years old. Se far down as the sixteenth century, Peter Zartan died at one hundred and eighty-five roars of age. I do not say that religion will ever take the race back to anteditival longevity, but I do say the length of human life will be greatly improved.

It is said in Isilah: "The child shall die handred years old, may not the men and women reach to three hundred and four hundred years old, may not the men and women reach to three hundred and four hundred years old, may not the men and women reach to three hundred and four hundred years old, may not the men and women reach to three hundred and four hundred years old, the fact has been saved, in the other case if he had kept to his religion his morals would have been saved; in the other case if he had kept to his religion his morals would have been saved; in the other case if he had kept to his religion his morals would have been saved; in the other case if he had kept to his religion his morals would have been saved; in the other case if he had kept to his religion his morals would have been saved; in the other case if he had kept to his religion his morals would have been saved; in the other case if he in the scaboard of drawn back into the same in that tenings in the tink intensing and if he had kep to his religion his morals would have ben saved.

There are and pople who would have been dead twirty-five years ago but for the defenses and the equipoise of religion.

You have no nore natural resistance than hundreds of pople who lie in the cemeteries to-day, slain by their own vices. The doctors make their case as kind and pleasant as they could, and it was called congestion of the brain, or something else, but the snakes and the bive flies that seemed to cast over the pillow in the sight of the divious patient showed what I saw the words: "The leaves of the tree of life for the healing of nations." And

And then I saw the storm was over, and the rainbow rose higher and higher, unti it seemed retreating to another Heaven and planting one column of its colors on

tors and they will tell you that a quiet bor who came in and said: "Sir, I want you to call on my local on There are trees with twelve mauner of fruits, yielding fruit every month. Water hold the e atrolling stock in thirty of the best monetary insitutions of New York; under the the ne of God, clear as a crys-Moses, and the crator o of the Messiah, led on by St. Paul, while the archangel, with

swinging baton, controls the one hundred Do you want reunion? There are your ad children waiting to kiss you, waiting to embrace you, waiting to twist garlands your hair. You have been accustomed open the door on this side the sepulcher. l open the door on the other side the sep ulcher. You have been accustomed to walk in the wet grass on the top of the grave. I show you the under side of the grave; the bottom has fallen out, and the long ropes with which the pall-bearers let down your dead, let them clear through

Giory be to Gol for this robust, healthy

religion. It will have a tendency to make

you I've long in this world, and in the

world to come you will have eternal life. "With long life will lastisfy him." Spread of Color-Hindness From the testimony of physicians and railroad officials it is evident color-blindness is rapidly increasing among those employed in railroad and maritime pursuits where the safety of life and prop and they produce the right results.

It is and examine the carries turning out in this establishyou will see." I go down on the l see the carpets, and I am day that comparatively few men possess perfect visual organs in this respect, and said that out of each hundred of his patients not more than one-fourth could at first sight distinguish between blue and they turn out a beautiful result; and while I am standing there looking at the exquisite fabric au old scrip ure passage comes into my mind: "All things work to gether for good to them who love God." Is there not rest in that! Is there not tonic in that? Is there not longevity in that! Suppose a man is all the t me worried about his reputation? One man says he lies, another says he is stupid, another says he is stupid, another says he is dishonest, and half a dozen printing entablishments attack him, and he is in a great state of excitement and worry and tume, and can not sleep; but worry and lume, and can not sleep; but the evil was a great and growing one, lia-"Man, God's on your side; He will take care of your reputation; if God be for you who can be against you?" How much closest scrutiny and patient investigation.

> ONE may become surfeited with getting, but he never can be surfeited with right giving. He who spends the most energy in out of our own energies is to spend them in the service of others. S. S. Tones.

of Jesus Cars's "With long life will I Horons achieved for exceed these that are greated .- Solum, B. C. 698